

Sl. No.	State	Location
4.	Jammu & Kashmir	Srinagar
5.	Karnataka	Bangalore, Manipal and Mysore
6.	Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram
7.	Maharashtra	Pune and Mumbai
8.	Madhya Pradesh	Indore
9.	Orissa	Bhubaneswar
10.	Punjab	Mohali
11.	Rajasthan	Jaipur
12.	Tamil Nadu	Chennai and Coimbatore
13.	Uttar Pradesh	Noida

(c) and (d) Government of India has already set up a Software Technology Park at Indore in the State of Madhya Pradesh for promotion of Software Industry including providing High Speed Data Communication facilities through STPI international gateway.

**Internet services for promotion of IT**

**†3713. SHRI BALKAVI BAIRAGI:** Will the Minister of INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's policy is to promote internet services with a view to promote Information Technology;

(b) if so, whether Government are considering to sanction the proposal submitted by the Madhya Pradesh Government for connecting Bhopal and Indore to international gate-way-hub; and

(c) if so, by when the sanction would be accorded?

**THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) There is no application on this subject with Government of India from Madhya Pradesh Government.

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.